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From Hon. W. H. Jones, of West Dover, Vt.

"I have been troubled from my boyhood with chronic or hereditary lung complaint. Some years since, early in the winter, I took cold, which as usual settled into a severe cough, which continued to increase as the season advanced, although I made use of all the cough remedies I had knowledge of. My family physician also prescribed for me, but I felt no relief. During all this time I was gradually running down, losing flesh and strength, until my friends as well as myself, became very much alarmed, thinking I should waste away in consumption. While in Boston, during the spring following, I was induced to try WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY. After one day's trial I was sensible that it was relieving me; in ten days time my cough had entirely ceased, and I was soon restored to my health and strength. I have ever since kept the BALSAM in my house, and whenever any member of my family has a cough or cold, it is immediately resorted to. No family should be without it." Sold by all druggists.

A Gentle Hint.

In our style of climate, with its sudden changes of temperature,—rain, wind and sunshine, often intermingled in a single day,—it is no wonder that our children, friends and relatives are so frequently taken from us by neglected colds, half the deaths resulting directly from this cause. A bottle of Boschnee's German Syrup kept about your home for immediate use will prevent serious sickness, a large doctor's bill and, perhaps, death, by the use of three or four doses. For curing Consumption, Hemorrhages, Pneumonia, Severe Coughs, Croup or any disease of the Throat or Lungs, its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you. German Syrup is now sold in every town and village on this continent. Sample bottles for trial 10c.; regular size, 75c.

The Machine was Worn Out.

Why? Not because it was not well built, but it was wrongly run. Thousands of men who have run down long before their three-score and ten years are accomplished, might have been renewed into sprightliness and vim if they had tried the well known PERUVIAN SYRUP, which contains among its compounds the Protoxide of Iron, so combined that it assimilates with the blood and invigorates the whole system. This syrup has proved efficacious in thousands of cases, and will do everybody good who use it. All druggists keep it. *

NEW DRY GOODS.—By the two last steamers A. B. Gray & Co. have received new goods of a cost value of over $7,000. Their Stock is now very complete in all departments. Attention is directed to new Ribbons, Kid Gloves, Lace and Silk Ties, real Ostrich Feathers, Wings, Birds, new Shawls, Corsets, fine assortment of Mid-Season Dress Goods, Antimacassars, &c., &c.; also, a full supply of Staple Dry Goods of every description. The above goods were bought very cheap, and they are marked off at low rates in order to ensure their speedy sale to make room for extensive Spring and Summer shipments now on the way.

ALBION HOUSE,
March 13. Government street.

REMOVAL.—Messrs. Brown & White beg to notify the public that they have removed their stock to the brick building on Government street, formerly occupied by Mr. A. Gilmore, clothier, opposite the Standard office, where they are opening a large and varied assortment of new goods suitable for the present season, comprising latest novelties in Linen Costumes, Dress Goods, Hosiery, Gloves, Corsets, Straw Hats and Bonnets, Trimmed Sun Hats, Parasols, Prints, Muslin Piques, and a full assortment of Haberdashery and Staple Dry Goods.

Ladies wishing to make up their own millinery will find all the requisites at BROWN & WHITE'S.

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to and other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers.

PEACE PROCLAIMED—After ten years of active warfare! I have been at war with my customers for ten long years, and I am now ready to DYE FOR THEM at reduced rates. Gents' clothes cleaned and repaired; faded clothing and curtains restored and made to appear as good as when new. Customers abroad will not have reason to grumble at prices if they send their articles to T. W. Pierre, tailor and dyer, Yates street, opp. Alhambra Hall. Castoff clothing taken in exchange for work.

Just received by Panama, latest styles in millinery, bonnets, trimmed and untrimmed straw hats and bonnets, muslin sun hats, flowers, feathers, ribbons, new silk ties, linen and fancy sets, etc., etc. MISS RUTLAND, Fort street. *

Thoroughbreds.

The Thoroughbred Horse

BRYAN O'LYNN II,

Imported into British Columbia, December, 1879, from Ireland, will stand for the season up to July 20th, 1878, in Victoria.

CHARGES: $40 for the season. For further particulars apply to CAMERON BROS., P.O. Box 260, Victoria.

Pedigree of the Thoroughbred Horse Bryan O'Lynn II.

Bryan O'Lynn by Old Bryan O'Lynn, out of Piety, by Harkaway, out of Recluse, by Wanderer; Bryan O'Lynn, by Birdcatcher, out of Cleopatra, own sister to Pioneer, by Roller, Roller by Quiz, winner of the Great St. Ledger. Bryan O'Lynn I. was sire of Good Friday and Morgan Rattler. Bryan O'Lynn's (II) dam was a thoroughbred mare by Tarewaway, gr. d. by Elvas. Took 1st prize in New Ross, 1861, for best thoroughbred mare. From sire and dam he is of the best strain in Ireland, is rising five years old, about 15¾ hands high, a beautiful dark bay, with black points, stands on short legs, with plenty of bone and muscle, and splendid action He is perfectly sound and free from vice. He was bred in the County Wexford, Ireland.

ap9dw CAMERON BROS.

BLACK HAWK MORGAN, JUNIOR

WAS BRED BY MR. BURY, OF CLARASville, County of Elgin, Ontario, foaled June 5th, 1869; is a beautiful black; stands 16 hands 3 in. high, and weighs 1200 lbs; was sired by the Davis Black Hawk Morgan, he by Lamphers Black Hawk, he by the old Vermont (or Hills) Black Hawk, he by Sherman Morgan, and he by Justin Morgan. The Dam of the Davis Black Hawk Morgan was sired by Tonetrue and he by Sir Timothy, and he, by the celebrated Arabian Horse Old Bosserah. Sir Timothy's Dam was Lady Angilico, sired by Sir Archy, the father of Henry and son of Diomedo. Dam of Tonetrue was sired by old Durock, the sire of American Eclipse, Grand Dam by imported Light Infantry, son of English Eclipse, great grand dam by imported Malton.

The above took first prize at Oregon State Fair when he was five years old against 14 competitors as roadster; four first prizes at Saanich each consecutive year; took three first prizes and 2 silver medals in Victoria as roadster and coach horse.

He will be located every Friday and Saturday at G. F. Tilbury's V. S. Board Stables, Yates street, above Blanchard.

$15 Single Leap; $25 for the Season.

For further particulars see card. ap7 2mdw

THE

THOROUGHBRED STALLIONS

Hambletonian George

—AND—

Young Emigrant

THE PROPERTY OF S. TINGLEY AND John Hamilton, will stand for the season at Stud Horse Ranch, about six miles from Robert Hamilton's, Nicola Lake.

The Thoroughbred Stallion "HAMBLETONIAN GEORGE" is a beautiful dappled Chestnut, sixteen and a quarter hands high, weighing about twelve hundred pounds, Charges $15 for the season or $20 for a single leap.

The fine Stallion "YOUNG EMIGRANT" is a Chestnut sixteen and a half hands high, weighing thirteen hundred pounds, has proved a sure and excellent foal getter, Charges $35 for the season or $10 for a single leap.

The above Thoroughbred Stallions are rangey and of fine Carriage, with excellent dispositions and faultless pedigree, being descended from some of the best trotting stock in America. mh28dw

Thoroughbred Shorthorn BULL

"CONQUEROR."

RED—Calved February 14th, 1872.



BRED BY MESSRS. J. & W. WATT, Nichol Co., of Wellington. The property of W. Turgoose, Victoria, B. C.

Got by Oxford Prince [1925]; dam Nina by Duke Imperial ,5526, gr d Nellie by Reynolds ,6115, g gr d Genesee by Eclipse ,1601, Nightingale by Nigel ,1927½, Fanny Fern by Buena Vista ,1299½, Mary by Gold Eagle ,595, Alice Day by Prince Hal ,866, Martha by Daniel Boone (11340) etc.

This Bull has taken First or Second Prize wherever shown.

Numbers in brackets [] refer to Canada Herd Book. Number in commas ,, refer to American Herd Book. Numbers in parenthesis () refer to English Herd Book. The above is located at

MR. G. F. TILBURY'S,
Veterinary Surgeon, corner of Yates and Blanchard streets, from whom all particulars can be had.
mh14 2m d&w

TROTTING STALLION "Mc'

RECORD 2:39.

WILL MAKE THE SEASON OF 1878 at his owner's Farm,

OAK BAY,

One mile from the City Limits of Victoria,

At $25 FOR THE SEASON.

Should the Mare not prove with Foal she will be entitled to be served again next season without charge.

Mares will be cared for at $1 per week in good pasture. All accidents at owner's risk.

"Mc" was bred by the late John Duncan, of San Francisco, California, is dark bay in color, 15½ hands high, weight 1,100 pounds.

PEDIGREE!

"Mc" was foaled on the 16th May, 1867, sired by Sawyer's Colt, he by Stockbridge Chief, he by Vermont Black Hawk, Stockbridge Chief's dam by Sir Charles, he by Durdock Messenger, he by Imported Messenger, he by Membrino, his dam by Turf, granddam by Regulus, he by Stirling, he by Fox. Dam of the Sawyer's Colt was San Jose Damsel by Easton's David Hill, he by Vermont Black Hawk, her dam the dam of Dashaway, the celebrated two-mile horse. "Mc's" dam was by General Taylor, out of thorough mare imported to the State from Missouri by — Haskell, Esq. General Taylor by the famous Morse Horse, he by imported Norman (from France). Dam of Morse Horse by Ogden's Messenger, he by imported Messenger, his dam Katy Fisher by imported Highflier, grand-dam, dam of Jersey Eclipse.—Copied from Wallace's Trotting Register.

J. S. BOWKER, Oak Bay.
P. O. Box 259, Victoria, B. C. mh5dw



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Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch

Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW.

mh10 LONDON MARKET

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL TAXES under the Assessment Act, for the Years 1876 and 1877, remaining unpaid on and after the 1st April, 1878, for the Electoral Districts of Victoria and Esquimalt, will be collected forthwith with costs.

R. F. JOHN,
Assessor & Collector.
Victoria, March 15, 1878. mh16

Stocks and Mines.

Cariboo Quartz Mining Co.—NOTICE.

AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETing of the shareholders of the Cariboo Quartz Mining Company, Limited, will be held at the Company's office, Barkerville, on Monday evening, May 6th, at half-past Seven o'clock, for the purpose of considering the advisability of issuing ninety thousand new shares of two dollars each.

By order of the Directors.
ap10 RICHARD ALLEN, Secty.

Vivian Quartz Mining Co., Limited.

NOTICE

AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETing of the above Company will be held on Tuesday the 7th of May, at 2 p.m., at the office in Barkerville, for the purpose of deciding upon a price that the shareholders would be willing to accept for that portion of their claim known as the Devlin claim.

By order of the Directors.
ALEX. J. MOUAT, Secretary.
April 8th, 1878. ap9

NOTICE

Cooper Gold and Silver Mining Company Limited.

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE above Company will be held at the Stock Board Room on Tuesday the 14th day of May, at 3 p.m., to elect Directors and Auditors. By order.

C. MORTON, Secty.
Victoria, B.C., April 11th, 1878. ap12

NOTICE

Cooper Gold & Silver Mining Company, Limited.

THE FIRST ASSESSMENT OF FIVE Cents (5c.) per share on the capital stock of the above Company, levied April 10th, 1878, and payable at the Secretary's office, Victoria, will be delinquent May 12th, 1878.

By order of the Board of Provisional Directors.
ap11 C. MORTON, Secretary.

Henry E. Croasdaile,

(Member B. C. Stock Board)

COMMISSION STOCK BROKER,

OFFICE;—Foster Mining Company's, Masonic Building, Government street. mh31

F. S. BARNARD,

COMMISSION STOCK BROKER,

MEMBER B. C. MINING STOCK BOARD.

OFFICE:—Barnard's Express, Yates street. fe1

Lord Dufferin Quartz Mining Company.

THE SIXTH ASSESSMENT of the above Company of One cent per share ($30 to the interest) has been levied, due at the Secretary's office, Barkerville, 1st May, 1878.

J. C. DEVLIN, Sec'y.
Barkerville, 12th April, 1878. ap21dw

BRITISH COLUMBIA

MILLING & MINING COMPANY,

LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A General Meeting of the Shareholders of the British Columbia Milling and Mining Company (Limited) will be held at the rooms of the British Columbia Mining Stock Board, on

Friday the Third day of May, A.D. 1878

At THREE O'CLOCK P. M., and that the following resolutions will be proposed for the consideration of the Shareholders:

1. RESOLVED, That the purchase by the British Columbia Milling and Mining Company, Limited, of those certain tracts of mining land known as the claims of the "American Gold and Silver Mining Company" and the "St. Lawrence Gold and Silver Mining Company," respectively, on the terms of the agreement entered into on the 29th March, A.D. 1878, by the Company and Richard B. Harper bq. and the same are, hereby ratified and confirmed. [A copy of the agreement referred to in the above resolution may be seen by any Shareholder on application to the Secretary of the Company, at the Company's office, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 2 p. m.]

2. RESOLVED, That with a view of carrying out the agreement referred to in the preceding resolution, the capital of the British Columbia Milling and Mining Company (Limited) be increased by the issue of one hundred and twenty-five thousand new shares of five dollars each.

By order of the Board of Directors.
ap2dw G. A. SARGISON, Secretary.

Charles Morton,

COMMISSION STOCK BROKER,

MEMBER B. C. MINING STOCK BOARD.

OFFICE:—Stock Board Building, corner Government and Yates streets, Upstairs. da18dw

THOS. TROUNCE,

Architect, &c.,

OFFICE, ON KANE ST. ABOVE DOUGLAS.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS CARE fully prepared for Public Buildings or Private Residences, and the usual business of an Architect promptly executed: ja6 3m

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CROCKERY, GLASSWARE

Cutlery, Carpets

And all kinds of

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS

—AT—

Mansell & Holroyd's,

Corner of Yates and Douglas Street.
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NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

de30 LT. LOWENBERG.

NOTICE.

ANY COMMISSION ENTRUSTED TO THE undersigned in Cassiar, or particularly on Valker's Creek, will be carefully executed.

ap6 1m H. GERKE.

NOTICE.

CARIBOO DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given that, the reservation dated the 9th March, 1878, placed in Cariboo District, exempting all that portion of the said District situate to the East of Fraser River from the effect of clause 62, "Land Act, 1875," is rescinded.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, 6th April, 1878. ap7

Notice to Claimants of Land.

OSOYOOS DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 17, 20, 29, 32, and portion of 33, Township No. 50, Osoyoos District, has been surveyed and the map thereof deposited in the office of Charles Vernon, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, Okanagan. And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in manner provided by the "Land Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, April 6th, 1878. ap7

New Advertisements.

RE-OPENING. RE-OPENING!

LONDON HOUSE

Will be Reopened on Wednesday next, March 27th,

By the undersigned with an entire

STOCK OF NEW GOOD !

—CONSISTING OF—

HOSIERY, KID, SILK & LISLE THREAD GLOVES, REAL & IMITATION LACE HANDKERCHIEFS,

Haberdashery, Ribbons, Trimmings, Buttons, Sunshades, Umbrellas, etc., etc.

ALSO—DRESS GOODS in all the new makes and colors.

J. BONNETT & CO'S Black Silks, Trimming Silks and Velvets in all Colors.

And a full assortment of Staple Drapery, Flannel, Sheetings and Linens.

MILLINERY ROOM.

Ladies' Trimmed Hats and Bonnets of the Latest Fashion,

Untrimmed Hats and Bonnets in great variety, Flowers, Feathers, Costumes, Mantles Silk and Muslin Ties, Lace and Linen Sets.

CORSETS, UNDERCLOTHING, BABY LINEN, Etc., Etc.

ALL GOODS MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES AND AT THE LOWEST PRICE!

Shears & Partridge.

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GOODACRE & DOOLEY,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL



BUTCHERS,



S. E. Cor. of Government & Johnson Streets,

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THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE EARL & COUNTESS OF DUFFERIN, AND HIS HONOR THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR.

The Largest and Choicest Assortment of

ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF MEAT, VEGETABLES AND STOCK CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

The same Supplied to Families, Restaurants, Ships and Steamers at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

QUEEN'S MARKET, VICTORIA, V. I.

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NEW GOODS

HENRY SHORT,

Gun & Rifle Maker,

FORT ST., opp. Scotch House.

Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of

DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELLED GUNS,

Central Fire Breech-Loaders,

FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,

Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-loaders and a full assortment of Gun Tackle.

GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED

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Notices.

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, By the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these presents shall come—GREETING

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney-General. WHEREAS We are desirous and resolved, as soon as may be, to meet Our people of Our Province of British Columbia, and to have their advice in Our Legislature, We do make Our Royal Will and Pleasure to call a new Legislative Assembly of Our said Province; and do further declare that, by the advice of Our Executive Council of British Columbia, we have this day given orders for issuing Our Writs in due form, for calling a new Legislative Assembly for Our said Province, which Writs are to bear date on the Twelfth day of April, instant, and to be returnable on or before the Twenty-ninth day of June next.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Twelfth day of April, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and in the forty-first year of Our Reign.

By Command.
HENRY S. MASON,
Acting Registrar Supreme Court. ap14

REWARD.

WHEREAS there is reason to believe that, on Friday, the 5th day of April, A. D. 1878, certain premises situate at Langley, the property of the Hudson Bay Company and Henry Wark, were maliciously set on fire. A Reward of One Hundred Dollars is hereby offered for such information as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of any person or persons concerned in the said outrage.

By Command,
T. ELWYN,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.
Victoria, 13th April, 1878. ap14

PUBLIC NOTICE.

LILLOOET DISTRICT.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned, endorsed "Tender for Lillooet Ferry," up to 12 o'clock noon, Monday, 6th May, 1878, for the right of maintaining a Ferry across Fraser River, at Lillooet, for the term of five (5) years, with the privilege of collecting the undermentioned Tolls viz:—

For every 100lbs. of freight.....	$ 12½
" passenger.....	25
" two-horse vehicle.....	2 50
" horse, mule or head of cattle.....	1 00
" sheep, hog, calf or goat.	37½
1 arge or unwieldly cases or packages of merchandize, per ton measurement.....	2 50

A substantial Ferry will be provided by the Government. The Ferry right to extend four (4) miles above and four (4) miles below Lillooet.

The Officers of the Provincial Government, with their animals and freight, to pass free.

The competition will be on the amount of rent to be paid to the Government for the Ferry right. The rent to be paid yearly in advance.

Tenders must be made on the printed forms, which can be obtained at the offices of the Government Agents at Lillooet and Clinton, and at the Land Office, Victoria.

With each Tender must be submitted the names of two responsible parties, willing to sign a Bond for the sum of $250, as security for the regular payment of the rent.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, April 4th, 1878. ap5dw

JAMES SYME,

ARCHITECT

MASONIC BUILDING, GOVERNMENT ST.,

jc6 m VICTORIA, B. C.

Notices.

NOTICE.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVING made actual measurement horizontal, assert most positively that the Enterprise Company's claim of 3,000 feet does not extend to within 1,800 feet of Jack of Clubs Lake. Any maps marked showing that the Enterprise claims extend further toward the Lake are false and absolutely untrustworthy.

JOHN POMEROY,
ap14dw MATTHEW PINKERTON.

NOTICE.

A CERTAIN MAP HAVING BEEN MADE and professing to be a sketch of the Bonanza and Steadman Lodes, a copy of which has appeared in Cariboo stated to be drawn by R. Covington. We the undersigned most positively assert, from our own knowledge, that that part of the map to the West and North of Lowhee Creek is incorrect and absolutely untrustworthy.

CHARLES WILSON,
JOHN POMEROY,
MATTHEW PINKERTON,
JOHN PINKERTON,
ap14dw HY. ANDERSON,

NOTICE.

A CERTAIN MAP HAVING BEEN MADE and professing to be a sketch of the Bonanza and Steadman Lodes, a copy of which has appeared in Cariboo, stated to be drawn by R. Covington. We the undersigned most positively assert that that part of the map to the East of William Crook is incorrect and absolutely untrustworthy.

CHARLES WILSON,
W. H. G. THOMPSON,
JOHN POMEROY,
JOSEPH MASON,
ROBERT BRODIE,
ap14dw WM. McKENZIE.

A CARD.

MR. A. T. D. McELMEN, BARRISTER, informs his clients that he will be absent from Victoria for a few months, and requests that during that time they will please communicate with Mr. Mr. McCreight, Q. C., as to unfinished business.

Mr. McE.'s address will be "Sussex Vale, New Brunswick, Canada."

Victoria, B.C., 18th April, 1878. ap19 1m

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE FIRM OF WRIGHT & CALLBREATH formerly doing business as Traders and Packers in Cassiar, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. G. B. Wright having sold his entire interest in the above business to Geo. W. Cook, of Cassiar.

All claims against the abovenamed firm will be paid by Callbreath & Cook, and all debts due the old firm of Wright & Callbreath will be collected by Callbreath & Cook. G. B. WRIGHT,

JOHN C. CALLBREATH.
Victoria, April 13th, 1878. ap19dw

To the Electors of Esquimalt District.

GENTLEMEN:—At the urgent solicitation of a number of yourselves, I have consented to become a candidate for the representation of our District in the Legislative Assembly. It is well known that I would have much preferred the retirement of my farm, but I have been informed that it is my duty at the present juncture to lay aside private inclinations and to place my services at the disposal of this constituency. The district has been most unfortunately represented in the late Parliament by our late member, Mr. Fisher, as he supported a Government that has neglected all our interests and almost hopelessly ruined our chances for the construction of the Graving Dock and Railway as Dominion works. I am, as you are aware, a farmer of long residence among you, and the interests of myself and family are therefore identical with yours. While I feel that the compliment paid me by my friends might have been bestowed upon some more deserving person, I can assure you that all my energies and attention will, to the best of my humble ability, be exerted in your behalf should I be honored with success in the forthcoming contest.

I am in favor of a reduction in the cost of Government and of a material change in the present onerous system of taxation which bears very heavily upon all of us. It is my interest to advocate all measures that will advance the prosperous working of our School system.

I am opposed to the Constitution Bill introduced by the Government and providing for an addition of eight more members to the Legislature on the ground of its increased expense and of its therefore being inconsistent with a policy of retrenchment. A redistribution of seats in the Assembly I shall support in all cases where justice demands such a measure.

I shall urgently press for the construction of the Dock and Railway, and for the fulfilment of Canada's promise with respect to these highly important works; and a fair expenditure on our public roads and trails will always command my attention.

I shall co-operate as far as possible with the late member, Mr. Williams, in an honest endeavor to carry out the pledges made by him in the address which he has recently issued.

Should I be elected, I cannot do more than pledge myself to forward your interests and the interests of the country generally.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,
Yours, respectfully,
H. HELGESEN.
METCHOSIN, April 20, 1878. ap21dw

To the Electors of Victoria District.

GENTLEMEN:—The present Ministry having failed to carry their measures through Parliament, the Lieutenant Governor has in consequence dissolved the Legislative Assembly.

I approve of the dissolution for two reasons—it gives the people an opportunity to accept or reject the policy proposed by Mr. Elliott, and to approve or disapprove of the conduct of their Representatives.

It is wise and proper that, in the midst of partizanstrife and political muddle, public opinion—the only safe and impartial tribunal—should determine all doubtful political issues. It now remains for you to exercise your undoubted right of arbiters on the political conduct of your members, and to decide whether they deserve a renewal of your confidence or not.

I am, gentlemen,
Very respectfully yours,
ap21 T. B. HUMPHREYS.

New Custom House Blanks

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At the COLONIST OFFICE

Daily British Colonist.

FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 26TH, 1878.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

THE DANGERS OF A CHANGE.

In former articles we have alluded in general terms to the prosperity of the country as compared with its condition in the days of Mr. Walkem's administration; and have shown that a change of government at the present moment, when the Province is successfully struggling to free herself from the chains placed about her by that unscrupulous government, would prove a change most disastrous to every industry now on the high road to stability and success. The utterances and policy of the opposition most convincingly corroberate this assertion and prove beyond the possibility of doubt that if the Walkem party were allowed even for a brief period to regain the reins of power which were so fortunately snatched from their grasp the now thriving quartz mining interest would share the fate common to other industries under the Walkem *regime*; and would in a few short months become only a bright spot in the past history of the Province instead of rising paramount in the annals of her future. It is fortunate that there is but little probability of this undesirable state of affairs being consummated; but it is no less fortunate that we are in a position to place before the electors—those of Cariboo particularly—evidence most unmistakable that if Mr. Walkem were permitted to again rule the destinies of this shortly-to-be great Province the results we have predicted would certainly follow. In other words, the development of the mineral wealth of Cariboo and other districts would be again checked and our quartz would be "crushed," as many other industries were crushed, in days of yore. It is already a matter of record that Mr. Walkem scoffed at and ridiculed the idea of offering aid to the hardy miners of Cariboo—the very men whose interests he asserts he represents—the men whose bosom friendship he usurps. But in spite of Mr. Walkem's ridicule and regardless of his charges of bribery the Elliott government never once departed from their firm resolve to assist Cariboo to gain her proper position and to assert her importance. With what result, is known to every man, woman and child in the Province. It is no less a matter of history that when the Government announced that in the interests of the Province they had secured the services of an experienced mining engineer, Mr. Walkem's organ pronounced the telegram, bringing the news from the British Consul's office in San Francisco, a bogus dispatch—a document worthy of no credence—simply an electioneering scheme to gain popularity for the Government in Cariboo. Whether the telegram proved to be true or whether false is a question that needs no reply. The mining engineer was engaged, and his services have already proved of inestimable value to the country. We have before us the *Standard* of 1877—the mouth-piece then as now of Mr. Walkem. On May the 18th of that year we find that journal in allusion to the promise of $15,000 to the parties erecting the first quartz mill in Cariboo, said:—

Mr. Elliott relies on the $15,000 which is down on paper to be loaned to assist in the erection of a quartz mill in Cariboo after a paying ledge has been found, as a means of bribing the constituency; but the bribe is too much like A HUGE JOKE TO BE SWALLOWED BY THE MINERS. WHEN THE PAYING LEDGE IS FOUND THERE WILL BE NO NECESSITY FOR THE OWNERS TO APPLY TO THE GOVERNMENT FOR AID TO ASSIST THEM IN ERECTING A MILL TO CRUSH THEIR QUARTZ."

Again, on the 23d of the same month, Mr. Walkom editorially characterized the loan "an attempted bribe." The loan, however, has been accepted—accepted by good men and true—men who are amongst Mr. Walkem's constituents. Will Mr. Walkem have the audacity to tell them when he next meets them that they have been guilty of accepting a bribe? We predict that he will not do so. We turn to a more recent issue of the *Standard*—an issue bearing date June 2nd, 1877, and what do we find Mr. Walkem again prescribing for his illtreated patients in Cariboo? He tells them under a glaring head of "More Public Robbery," that:

"The last raid on the treasury is caused by the Cariboo election. If the public money is not largely used and undue influences resorted to Mr. Elliott has made up his mind that his colleague, Mr. Davie, is certain of defeat. *That undue influences are to be used is evidenced by an advertisement and telegram in yesterday's* COLONIST—*a most barefaced attempt to deceive the miners of Cariboo as they will see* without one word of explanation from us. The impudence displayed by Mr. Elliott in his Quartz Mill advertisement is positively marvellous, even although it comes from a person who is one mass of impudence, and we may add deceit."

A little further on in the same article the following allusion to the telegram announcing the engagement of Mr. Harper, Mining Engineer, is made:

"THE TELEGRAM ANNOUNCING THAT AN EXPERIENCED QUARTZ MINING ENGINEER HAS BEEN ENGAGED TO RUN A MILL THAT MAY NEVER BE ERECTED—FOR WE REGRET TO SAY THAT UP TO THE PRESENT TIME NO TRUE GOLD OR SILVER BEARING QUARTZ LEDGE HAS BEEN FOUND IN CARIBOO, ONLY DETACHED SPURS OF AURIFEROUS QUARTZ—IS SURELY BOGUS."

These extracts are a sample of many. They are the pith of the utterances of Mr. Walkem on every available occasion and they distinctly show that it is not to him the miners of Cariboo are indebted for the increased prosperity of their district during the last twelve months. They show even more—nay, they are proof positive—that if Mr. Walkem had been permitted to laugh the Government policy out of existence Cariboo to-day would have been just as ignorant of her wealth as she was for four years when her illustrious senior representative mis-ruled her destinies. Such being the case, is there any good reason to suppose that if Mr. Walkem were permitted to return to office to-morrow he would be one particle more mindful of the claims of Cariboo and other mineral districts than he was when carousing at the country's expense in London or spurring the celebrated Liniment mare over the rolling hills of the mainland? There is every reason to think that he would not; for how, after opposing the policy of the Elliott Government from first to last, contesting it step by step, in connection with Cariboo district as well as every other section of the country—how, we ask, could he with the least sense of decency or honor turn a political somersault and adopt the policy of the Elliott Government, the only policy that has yet been carried into effect so as to afford Cariboo a measure of justice? When we reflect that Mr. Walkem was in office four years; when we return to the fact that he has been in opposition two years and not during all that period has been found guilty of making one good provision or offering a solitary suggestion to assist his constituents in any shape or form, we are compelled to come to the conclusion that he has been either wilfully neglectful of the district he professes to represent, or has not the ability, if the inclination, to place the district in a position of rightful pre-eminence. What has he ever done of real and lasting benefit to Cariboo? To what one measure or device can he point with pride or satisfaction? Is it the erection of Quesnelle Bridge he regards with so much joy? We ransack our memory and find positively not one single action to which he can allude with pleasure during the whole of his political career in connection with Cariboo. "But hold!—stay!—you've forgotten something. MR. COLONIST"! we fancy we hear Mr. Walkem rejoin: "You say I've done nothing for my district. I say I have! I opposed the policy of the Elliott Government from the day they accepted office to the day the House was prorogued. In and out of the House I've opposed it, and you know it." To Mr. Walkem we make reply—"Yes, that's just what's the matter; that is the one thing done you should have left undone. You have by fair means and foul opposed the policy of the only Government that has as yet realized the importance of Cariboo and aided her in the hour of need. You have endeavored to deprive her of her just laurels and have sought to keep her in the obscurity in which you placed her. That one thing you have done most faithfully and your constituents know it. That is one reason why the electors should most studiously guard against the possibility of your ever regaining office. Four years tenure of office, barren of any good result, should be a sufficiently lengthened experience to enable any constituency to judge as to a member's merits and demerits."

MR. BEAVEN.

The gentleman whose name appears at the head of this brief article tries to make it appear in the *Standard* of yesterday that he has all along been the bitterest kind of antagonist to the employment of Chinese labor. He quotes copiously from the Journals of the House to substantiate his assertion and attempts to hold the Government responsible for the influx of the Mongolian element. To-morrow we will show that the ex-Chief Commissioner is solely and wholly responsible for the employment of celestials on public works during the Walkem *regime;* and in the meantime we challenge Mr. Beaven, who is literally worshipped by the Chinese population, to produce a single instance to prove that during his political career he has introduced a solitary resolution or any measure to restrict a class of immigration that has always looked up to him as its patron saint. The present Government has at all times adopted constitutional means to check the employment of Asiatic in preference to white labor.

Canadian Mail.

(Per Steamer North Pacific,)

QUEBEC, April 8.—Dr. Pierre Oliver Tessier, one of the Quebec gaol physicians, died yesterday morning at his residence, St. Foye, after a protracted illness. Deceased was a very eminent and accomplished physician, but had retired from practice about five years. He was at different times Governor and Secretary of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, a member of the Canadian Medical Association, President of the Quebec Medical Association and physician to the dispensary of the Sisters of Charity. Deceased was also an accomplished linguist.

Judgment was rendered by Justice McCord in the Superior Court this morning, declaring the famous Delafield diamonds forfeited to the Crown. They are valued at nearly $3,000, and will shortly be disposed of on behalf of the Dominion Government by auction.

OTTAWA, April 9.—The Senate debated the Pacific railway question to day on a motion made by Mr. Read. The monotony of the debate was relieved by Senator Carrall displaying a bag of steel rails rust, which he had brought with him from British Columbia. All the information received goes to show that the work of oxidization on the $316,000 of rails on the Pacific Coast is proceeding very rapidly.

MONTREAL, April 9.—The number of horses bought here and shipped to the United States last week was 129, at an average price of $80 each. The number purchased here since 1st January last and shipped across the line was 1,977, costing $146,666, being about 400 horses in excess of those exported in the whole of the previous year. The demand continues brisk, and thirteen American buyers are in the city.

MONTREAL, April 9.—One hundred and twenty one writs in insolvency were issued in Montreal during the quarter ending March 31st, a number largely in excess of the corresponding quarter of 1877. Since the beginning of April no writs have been issued.

DIRECT FROM LONDON.—Henry Short, Gunmaker, Fort street, has just received his splendid stock of Fishing Tackle for the season comprising double and single-handed Trout Fly Rods, Trout and Salmon Reels, Minnows, Flies tied to pattern expressly for the Lakes and Rivers of British Columbia, &c., &c.

NEW SPRING DRY GOODS. — A general and complete assortment in every department consisting of the Newest Materials and in the Latest Styles.

THOS. WILSON & Co.

New Advertisements.

"Land Registry Ordnance, 1870."

In the matter of the Title to Victoria Town (now City) Lot No. 598.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in pursuance of the "Land Registry Ordinance, 1870," that I shall issue in the name of Li Hing a duplicate Certificate of Title to Victoria Town (now City) Lot number 598, unless cause be shown to the contrary within one month from the date hereof.

Dated at the Land Registry office, Victoria, this 26th day of April, 1878.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar General of Titles.
ap26

STARCH!

USE DURYEA'S STARCH—THE BEST in the Market.
For sale to the trade in lots to suit by
ap18 6m F. NEUFELDER & CO.

New Advertisements.

To the Electors of the City of Victoria.

GENTLEMEN:—The Legislative Assembly having been dissolved, you will be called upon to elect four members for the City. I have reason to believe that the course pursued by some of the late members has not been satisfactory and that you desire to put other men in their places. As an old resident and large property-owner I offer my services as one of the candidates to represent you in the Legislative Assembly. Should you do me the honor to elect me I pledge myself to do all that can be done for the best interests of the City and the Province generally.

I am in favor of immediate Railway construction in accordance with the Carnarvon Settlement. I shall oppose any increase to the present number of representatives unless the people desire it.

I am in favor of the City having full and complete control of its own affairs.

I am against dual taxation or the imposition of taxes by the Local Government within the municipal limits.

The Chinese evil I consider one of the most important questions of the day, and any law to impose a heavy tax so as to limit their number and stop them coming here shall receive my hearty support.

A thorough re-organization and reduction in the cost of the Civil Service I believe to be an imperative necessity and will give this important matter my earnest attention.

Our Revenue and Expenditure I consider ought to be put on a more equitable and satisfactory basis.

Negotiations with the Imperial or the Dominion Governments regarding the Graving Dock should, I think, be entered upon at once, so as to ensure, if possible, the final completion of so important an undertaking.

I am, gentlemen, very faithfully yours,
ap25 J. W. WILLIAMS.

G. W. A. LANGE
WATCHMAKER,
JEWELLER AND OPTICIAN,

GOVERNMENT ST., VICTORIA, B. C.

THE FINEST ASSORTMENT OF SPECtacles, Eye, Marine, Opera and Magnifying Glasses constantly on hand mh15 2p3m

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F. Neufelder & Co.

Have received from Havana direct and offer to the trade

100,000 Choice Havana CIGARS.

☞We Import from the Factories direct.☜

Meerschaum & Amber Goods—Consisting of Pipes, Cigar and Cigarette Holders.
Briar & Wooden Pipes, Stems, mouthpieces, Tobacco Pouches, etc.
Lawrence & Cohen's Steamboat and Highlander Playing Cards.
Vanity Fair and Carte Blanche Tobacco and Cigarettes.
J. B. Paces' 6 and 12 inch, Rough and Ready, Gold Bar, Cable Coil and Pocket Compass, Jackson's Best, Lorinard's.
Old Man's Favorite, 6 and 12 inch Twist, Southern Beauty, Perfection and Blue Light Tobaccos.

We also keep a well assorted stock of

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS.

Agents for Joab Soales & Co. Toronto Tobacco Works
" .....Hercules Powder
" .....Levi Strauss & Co's Patent Clothing
ap16

DIAMOND DRILLS.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS BEEN APpointed Sole Agent for British Columbia for

Leschot's Patent Prospecting and Tunneling Diamond Drilling Machine,

Mounted on Wheels. These Machines have come into general use on the Pacific Coast, and furnish the most speedy and economical method of testing mining ground that can be obtained.

For particulars apply to
DAVID KURTZ,
ap16 Wharf street.

$500 Reward.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I WILL pay the above reward to any person or persons who shall deliver to me the original or certified copies of two certain letters addressed by **Mr. George A. Walkem** to the Striking Miners' Committee of Wellington, in the month of March, 1877, or one-half the above amount for the original or a certified copy of either of the said letters.

R. DUNSMUIR.
Victoria, B. C., April 22, 1878. ap23dw

Mr. A. C. ELLIOTT

WILL MEET THE ELECTORS of Victoria City at Theatre Royal on
ap21 **Saturday Evening, 27th April.**

Express to Kootenay.

THE UNDERSIGNED WISHES TO INform persons who may have occasion to travel to Kootenay, that he is fully prepared to furnish them with Spring Wagon to Fen d'Oreille Lake or Semiacteen, where Saddle Animals can connect from thence to Kootenay. Terms very Liberal.

GEORGE DACRES.
Walla Walla, April 10, 1878. apl1dw3m

I. O. O. F.

FIFTY-NINTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE introduction of Odd Fellowship in American will be celebrated by a Banquet and Ball for Odd Fellows and their Families to be held at Pavilion Skating Rink on Friday evening, 26th April at ½-past seven o'clock, under the auspices of the Lodges of Victoria.

Committee of Management:

G. Gowen, P.G. of No. 1. F. Norris of No. 2.
J. Sehl, P.G. of No. 1. M. Young of No. 3.
A. Phillips, P.G. of No. 1. J. Sears, P.G. of No. 2.
J. Wriglesworth P.G. No. 2. J. Jackson of No. 4.
W. D. McKillican, P.G. of No. 4.

Tickets can be obtained from any of the above members of Committee, or of the officers of the different Lodges. ap17

Cassiar Express.

WILL LEAVE FOR THE VARIOUS Creeks in Cassiar by every Steamer for Fort Wrangel.

First trip by the steamer California, Friday, April 5th, 1878.

Packages and Letters left with Wells, Fargo & Co. will be forwarded.

Treasure shipped to Victoria and San Francisco.
ap5 J. JOHNSON.

J. L. JUNGERMANN,
PRACTICAL
WATCHMAKER, JEWELLER,
And Optician,

Government St., next to J. Sehl's Furniture Store

Is now prepared to furnish his friends and customers with the very best kind of Spectacles and Eyeglasses at the Lowest Possible Prices.

Repairs in my line will be satisfactorily executed. Orders from the country promptly attended to.
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New Advertisements.

CLOSING OUT SALE!

Bargains! Bargains!!

Strouss, Briggs, Kurtz & Co.

HAVING DETERMINED TO

CLOSE OUT THEIR BUSINESS IN VICTORIA,

Will Commence from April 12th, 1878,

TO SELL AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES,

Their ENTIRE STOCK consisting in part of

Dry Goods, Clothing,
Hosiery Haberdashery,
Shawls, Blankets,
Fancy Goods, &c.

ALSO—A LARGE LOT OF OILMEN'S STORES.

STROUSS, BRIGGS, KURTZ & CO., WHARF STREET, VICTORIA.
ap12

Wanted.

Wanted

A SITUATION AS COOK BY A YOUNG woman lately from the East. Understands pastry. Has been accustomed to cook for a restaurant. Address "W.B.D.," at THE COLONIST office. *ap21 1m

Wanted.

A MAN AND WIFE WISH EMPLOYMENT. The woman is a good cook, washer and ironer. Man understands horses and gardening or hotel work. Enquire at This Office. ap19

Wanted

A MIDDLE-AGED, EXPERIENCED SICK NURSE wishes a situation as nurse or house work. Is lately from California. Please leave address at COLONIST OFFICE. ap14

Wanted.

A FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKER—
Apply to
MRS. M. ADAMS & LUXFORD,
ap7 Douglas street.

Wanted.

EMPLOYMENT AS SEAMSTRESS IN A private family by the day or week, with or without sewing machine. Please call or address.
ap3 1m MRS. COLEMAN, Angel Hotel.

CAUTION.

I HEREBY FORBID the Registrar-General from issuing a Duplicate Certificate of Title in the names of **George Dakin** and **Ellen Lawrence**, to all that portion of Victoria Town (now City) Lot No. 182 E., as the original certificate of title to the said lot is in my possession, and any statement or affidavit to the effect that it has been lost, is untrue.

ELLEN LAWRENCE,
Joint Owner of Lot 182 E.
Victoria, B. C., April 20, 1878 ap21 1m

To the Electors of Esquimalt District.

GENTLEMEN:—Having, to the best of my ability, served you through the Second Provincial Parliament, I respectfully ask your votes at the coming General Election.

If you again honor me with your confidence, you may rely on my supporting any honest endeavor to press the construction of the Railroad and Dry Dock, both of which works have latterly been neglected by the Government. I think you will agree with me in asserting that the present Government have shown great incapacity and indolence in dealing with these important subjects, which are of the most vital interest to every resident in this District and to the Province at large.

One of the most important questions that will have to be considered by the next House will be the subject of Retrenchment, for it is a fact that we are living greatly in excess of our income. I shall advocate strict economy in public expenditure, and a thorough system of reorganization of the Civil Service.

The Constitution Bill, upon which the Government were defeated, I am decidedly opposed to in its present form, as it proposes an increase of eight additional members to the existing representation of twenty-five. A redistribution of seats without increasing the number is all that is required, as retrenchment ought to be the aim of all, and further representatives means nothing but further outlay of an unproductive and useless character.

I shall earnestly advocate substantial Law Reforms so as to reduce costs and render justice available to the poor as well as the rich.

I shall also endeavor to preserve the Freedom of Electors from official influence, and will use by best efforts to put down Bribery and Corruption, which has, unfortunately, been rife during the administration of Mr. Elliott's Government.

I also pledge myself to use my best endeavors to get for the District such amounts of money for Roads Bridges, etc., as are reasonable, and to which we may be justly entitled.

Education will also receive my warmest support.

All Bills and measures that are brought before the House, which are for the good of the Province at large, will receive my unremitting attention and most cordial assistance.

In conclusion, Gentlemen, if you should do me the honor to re elect me, I beg to assure you that I shall, as I have hitherto endeavored to do, faithfully serve your interests to the best of my ability.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
ap17dw FRED'K WILLIAMS.

British Columbia Milling & Mining Co., (Limited.)

NOTICE!

THE FOURTH ALLOTMENT OF THE Company's Stock is now open for purchasers at the rate of two ($2) dollars per share.

Orders for Shares should be accompanied with Drafts or Telegraphic Transfers and addressed to the undersigned.

By order of the Directors.
GEO. A. SARGISON, Secty.
Victoria, B. C., April 22, 1878. ap23dw

The RAFFLE

FOR A GOLD STEM-WINDING WATCH and Chain and Silver English Lever Hunting Watch & Chain will take place at
Armstrong's Cigar Store, Johnson St.
On the 24th May. **Tickets $1 each.** ap16

SPRING & SUMMER DRY GOODS

A VERY LARGE STOCK OF
NOVELTIES FOR THE SEASON
JUST RECEIVED BY

A. B. GRAY & CO.

COMPRISING IN PART:

Dress Goods—Plain and Fancy Lustres, New Brocades, Poplin and Sicilian Cloths, Mural Cloths, Tasso, Piquet, Mariposa and Yosemite Cloths, New Prints in great variety, Grenadines, Checked Swiss, &c., &c.

Costumes in Balermo, Batiste, Tasso and Linen, &c.

Straw Hats—Newest shapes, in Ladies' and Children's Sailor's Hats, &c.

Millinery Trimmings, Feathers, Turquoise, Satins, Silks, Birds.

Shawls for Summer Wear, Lace ½-squares and longs, New Skirts, Sunshades, Ties, &c., &c. Now and some Heavy Makes of White, Scoured and Domestic Cottons, &c. Also, a very large stock of Staple Dry Goods.

ap17 **ALBION HOUSE, Government Street.**



FRESH GOODS,

NEW STYLES!

H. MANSELL

Has received LARGE ADDITIONS to his already

Well Selected Stock of

BOOTS & SHOES,



Which he offers at the LOWEST CASH PRICES.

Boots Made to Order. Repairing Neatly Done.
☞Country Orders promptly attended to.☜

Government Street, Victoria, opp. the Postoffice.
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NOTICE.

THE PUBLIC ARE WARNED NOT TO purchase from Daniel Conley any of the goods and chattels and live stock at my house and premises on the West side of the Saanich Road, as the same are my sole property; also, 5 acres of land under good cultivation.

ELEANORA CONLEY.
Witness—J. Roland Hett,
Bastion St., Victoria. ap24

Stockraisers and Butchers' Cattle.

GOOD PASTURE, CLOSE TO VICTORIA One Dollar per head per month at

Pemberton's Farm.
ap19

Miss E. George,
Dress Maker,

VIEW ST., ABOVE DOUGLAS.

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S SUITS
ap17 Made Stylish and CHEAP.

CARD.

LION BREWERY, VICTORIA, April 16, 1878.

I THE UNDERSIGNED take this medium of making apology to Mr. Joseph W. Lewis for having had him arrested for robbery, which I regret as I have every reason to believe it was my late room-mate, Arthur Thompson, who has now absconded, and who endeavored to fix suspicion on the said Joseph W. Lewis, who is entirely innocent.

ap17 F. HEIM.

Notice to Contractors, &c.

TENDERS FOR THE EXTENSION OF of the St. John's Schoolhouse on Douglas street, will be received until noon on the 27th of April, at my office on Langley street.

ap19 H. O. TIEDEMAN, Architect.

Bank of British North America.

THE AGENCY OF THE BANK OF British North America in Cariboo will be transferred from Stanley to Barkerville, about the 15th May next. ap24dwlm

Notice—Lost.

ON MONDAY AFTERNOON, 22nd inst., two P. O. Orders payable at the Bank of British Columbia. Whoever will bring them to this office will be suitably rewarded. Payment has been stopped at the Bank. ap26

Highest Cash Price
PAID FOR
Furs and Deer Skins.

THE BUSINESS OF L. & J. BOSCOWITZ will be continued as heretofore at the present premises, Wharf street. ap26

TO CATTLE BUYERS.

PARTIES WISHING TO PURCHASE BEEF Cattle will please apply to
MATTHEW BOTTRELL, James Bay,
ap4 Agent for R. M. Woodward.

Daily British Colonist.

FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 26TH, 1878.

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Apl. 25—Sch Eliza, Saanich
Str Maude, Nanaimo
Str Enterprise, New Westminster
Str North Pacific, Pt Townsend

CLEARED.

Apl. 25—Sch Eliza, Saanich
Sch Bonanza, Nanaimo
Str Maude, Nanaimo
Str Enterprise, New Westminster
Str North Pacific, Pt Townsend

PORT OF SAN FRANCISCO.

ARRIVED.

Apl. 24—Bk Martha Ridout, Pt Blakely
Bktn D. W. Gawley, Pt Madison
Bk Marmion, Departure Bay
Bk Montana, Seattle
Str City of Panama, Victoria
Sch Reporter, Seattle
Sch Panama, Pt Blakely

SAILED.

Apl. 24—Bk Sierra Nevada, Nanaimo
Ship Otago, Seattle

CONSIGNEES.

Per str North Pacific, fm Puget Sound—A. King & Co, Levy, ABACo, J Drant, Bates, J L, Y Bros, Steitz.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

W. R. CLARKE & CO. will sell at 11 o'clock, at the residence of W. Goodwin, Herald st., Household Furniture, Kirkman Piano, etc.

Telegraphic Dispatches.

The British Colonist is the only newspaper published in British Columbia that receives Telegraphic Dispatches. Its value as a news and advertising medium is therefore apparent.

LATEST NEWS FROM CARIBOO.

Work Being Vigorously Prosecuted!

Prospects Continue Favorable!

(Exclusive Dispatch to the Colonist.)

BARKERVILLE, April 24.

The mining engineer's attention so far has been confined to claims located on the Bonanza, Steadman and Wilkinson ledges. The progress made in American, St. Laurient, Cariboo and Enterprise is considered favorable.

The Cariboo Co. have received tenders from San Francisco for construction of a 10-stamp mill, the purchase of which will be discussed at a meeting this evening. This company have invited tenders for a tunnel to strike the ledge at a depth of 165 feet; in the meantime sinking will be continued.

The B. C. M. & M. Co. are pushing their works on the American, St. Laurient and Wilkinson locations vigorously. The site for the mill in the vicinity of the St. Laurient is being graded and men are employed in getting out timber for its erection.

Enterprise Co. are drifting on their ledge with favorable prospects. One hundred pounds of ore was shipped to Victoria last mail.

A meeting of the Proserpine Co. was held on Monday evening at which a majority of the shares were represented. Incorporation with the head office at Barkerville and a provisional board of directors were decided on. This stock is in demand here and transactions have been numerous.

The Consolidated Virginia, located on Steadman ledge, held a meeting last Wednesday night and decided to incorporate with head office in Victoria.

The mining engineer leaves for Stanley to-morrow to examine and report on the Montgomery location, Chisholm Creek, at the request of the shareholders.

Mr. Patten, millwright for the B. C. Co., and Mr. Jeffree, agent for the Kurtz diamond drill arrived by the last express.

PUGET SOUND.—The New Tacoma saw mill, burnt down a short time since, is being rebuilt. Its capacity is to be 20,000 ft. per day. The Discovery saw mill is shut down on account of a financial misunderstanding. The Ludlow mill has also suspended cutting until July....On Monday night an unsuccessful attempt was made to set fire to buildings in Seattle....Livingston, the counterfeiter, has been committed to jail, there to await the action of the next grand jury. The money he coined was of the most miserable description, but was considerably circulated. ....A locomotive jumped the track on Black River bridge and came in collision with empty cars. The concussion was more than the bridge could stand and it went down into the river, carrying with it the engine, fireman and brakeman....Capt. Pierce and four of the crew of the coast steamer Newport were drowned in the breakers whilst attempting to cross Newport bar in a small boat.

EAST COAST MAIL SERVICE.—The contract for the East Coast mail for the ensuing four years has been awarded to Mr. Joseph Spratt. The contract calls for a trip once a fortnight to Comox and once a week to Nanaimo, but for the accommodation of the settlers of the East Coast and the residents of Nanaimo Mr. Spratt's boat will make two trips every week to the latter place.

OPERA BOUFFE.—The season of Opera Bouffe by the Rose Manning Company promises to be the best ever held in Victoria. The *artistes* engaged all bear the best recommendations from both the eastern and western papers. The *repertoire* will comprise such operas as "La Fille de Madame Angot," "Giroflo Giroflo," "The Grand Duchess," "La Perichole," &c., &c. The box-sheet will be opened to-day at Mr. Redfern's jewelry store on Government street.

THE DUFFERIN CO.—This company's claim, situate on Grouse Creek, continues to be regarded in Cariboo as one of the best claims in the district.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.—We hear it is the intention of a number of persons at New Westminister to visit us on the 24th of May. They will come down on the steamer Wilson G. Hunt.

YET ANOTHER.—The irrepressible Mr. J. W. Carey announces himself a candidate to represent the city in the House. The cry is "still they come!"

THE bark Penang left yesterday for Nanaimo to load coal for San Francisco.

San Francisco Produce Market.

[Exclusive Dispatch to the Colonist.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 24.—Flour—dull; extra 6¼@6¾.

Wheat—market easier; choice milling, 2.10@2.12½; shipping, 1.95@2.

Barley—stagnant; 1.02½@1.07½.

Oats—dull; feed, 1.25@1.40.

Corn—firm; large yellow, 1.85@1.87½.

Hay—steady; stock, 8½, choice wheat, 16@17; medium grades, 10@14.

Potatoes—firm; choice old, 3@3½.

Wool—unchanged.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—Flour—unchanged.

Wheat—milling, 207½@212½; shipping, 195@2.

Barley—dull; feed, 1@107; brewing, 110@125.

Oats—dull and heavy; feed, 120@140.

Corn—firm; large yellow, 185@187½; white, 205@220.

Hay—unchanged.

Potatoes—firm; old 3½@3¾; new, 3½@4¾.

Wool—unchanged.

Financial.

(Exclusive Dispatch to the Colonist.)

PORTLAND, April 25.—Gold at New York, 100¼; legal tender at Portland, 99½ @ par; silver coin, buying 2½, selling 2 per cent. discount.

British Columbia Stock Report.

THURSDAY, April 25th.

Enterprise, asked $7¼; Cariboo, asked $5½; Lowhee, asked $1¼; B. C. M. & M., asked, $2¼; Cooper and Foster, none offered.

Municipal Police Court.

(Before H. O. Courtney, Esq., P.M.)

THURSDAY, April 25th.

Dick, an Indian, charged with being drunk and disorderly was fined $5 or 14 days imprisonment.

Mary, an Indian woman, charged with being drunk and disorderly was fined $5 or 14 days imprisonment on half allowance.

Tue Que, a Chinawoman, charged with being a vagrant, was fined $30 or two months imprisonment with hard labor.

AMERICAN CITIZENS VS. ENGLISHMEN.—The *Standard* has unearthed another so-called "American citizen" in the person of the editor of this journal. All we have to say to the charge is that if the *Standard* is really of opinion that Mr. Higgins is a foreigner the Courts provide an easy and inexpensive method of proving it. With respect to a statement that Mr. H. once "thanked God he was not an Englishman," the remark exists only in the vivid imagination of the *Standard* editor. It is the purest fiction. Not so, however, with a boast made by the editor of the *Standard* about three months ago when he invited a young English gentleman into his sanctum to inform him that he could "lick any English — of a — that ever stepped," and was instantly pounded to the consistency of jelly by the aforesaid young Englishman—the only defense the editor of the *Standard* ventured upon being to *bite the arm* of his assailant, *a la* native of the Canibal Islands, of which "power" he is strongly suspected of being a native.

ROAD TAX.—This tax of two dollars, levied by the City Council upon every male resident in the City above eighteen years of age, is again due. Mr. W.K. Bull, appointed by the Council to collect the same, will be shortly going his rounds. Surely nothing can be more reasonable than the small demand for the advantages given by the roads and footpaths being kept in order.

FROM NEW YORK.—The new steamship Oregon arrived at Portland from New York on Monday afternoon and was received with a salute from the batteries and popular manifestations. She made the trip in 65 days, including detentions at Valparaiso, Astoria and other places. Her actual running time was a little over 57 days. She has been inspected by nearly all Portland.

THE steamer Wilson G. Hunt arrived at 3:20 p.m. yesterday from New Westminster, making the trip in 6 hours. She brought down a good freight and the following passengers: H. Corlon, W. D. Harris, Miss C. M. Livingston, Miss E. Munro, James McDonald, Sam Sing and Joe. Merces. The steamer returns to New Westminster this morning.

BAZAAR.—The gross receipts for the Reformed Episcopal Bazaar, amounted to close upon $1240. The expenses will be about $100.

THE PENITENTIARY.—In committee of supply in the Commons on the 9th inst. the sum of $20,950 was voted for the Penitentiary at New Westminster.

A BABY show is to be held at Portland soon, which promises to be a great success. Forty entries are already made.

THE steamer North Pacific arrived at 12.30 p.m. yesterday from the Sound with the mails and about 20 passengers.

CRICKET.—The Portland Cricket Club has played its opening match for the season.

THE steamer Otter left yesterday for Fort Wrangel with about 150 passengers.

REMOVED.

A. GILMORE wishes to inform his friends and the public that he has removed to the Commission Store on Johnson street, where he will continue to sell at invoice prices.

Garments made to order at cost, as he is closing out that branch of his business.

R. O'CONNOR, Surgeon Chiropodist, removes corns, warts, moles, bunions and ingrowing toe or club nails, without pain or ache. No acids or injurious chemicals used. Can refer to some of the most eminent surgeons and physicians of the United States. Will visit residences by leaving address at the American Hotel, Yates Street. *

WE ARE authorized to state that Mr. W. J. Jeffree has just received a full assortment of Boys and Youths' Clothing in Tweeds, Cassimere and Worsted Goods, all of which have been made to order. Strong Tweed Pants for School wear. They will be sold cheap. *

PINK ALPACA 1¼ yards wide, 3 yards for $1, at Chas. T. Warren's, Government street. ..

By Electric Telegraph.

Exclusively to THE COLONIST the only Newspaper published in British Columbia that receives Telegraphic Dispatches.

Morning Dispatch.

EUROPE.

VENICE, April 24.—The Mayor called on Gen. Grant to-day, who expressed his satisfaction at visiting Venice and warmly thanked the Mayor for cordial expressions addressed to him by the letter of the Venitians.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 24.—The typhus is increasing among Russians at Adrianople and Radosta.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 25.—The *Agence Russe* says if the disposition overywhere is as conciliatory as here there is reason to hope for satisfactory results.

Gortschaffok is quite ill.

BERLIN, April 25.—Bismarck was taken ill to-day at Friederichruh with erysipilas in his loin. His usual physician has been summoned from Wiesbaden.

The preliminary enquiry against Bishop, the Englishman charged with endeavoring to obtain plans of fortresses, etc., is being conducted. The evidence obtained is sufficient for the indictment for inciting treason. The British Government has declared it will not interfere in Bishop's behalf.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 25.—Twenty thousand irregulars in the district of Batoum refuse to lay down their arms.

BELGRADE, April 25.—The Turkish, Russian and Bulgarian commissioners have begun to define the Servian frontier and have already decided to allot Wranja and Tra to Servia.

ROME, April 25.—The *Fan Fulla* states Italy has notified England of her disposition to support the latter's demand concerning laying the treaty before congress, provided England states her views in regard to the system to be introduced in Balgaria. Germany and Italy have both taken steps to induce England to make such a statement of her views before continuing military measures.

LONDON, April 25.—A Vienna correspondent states Germany refused to guarantee the line of demarcation in the event of English and Russian withdrawal from before Constantinople.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 25.—There is a violent gale in the Black Sea. A Turkish corvette has been lost off Killa and 90 men drowned.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 25.—Gortschakoff has been confined to his bed since Monday and there are serious apprehensions concerning him. His fever increases and his physicians fear it is typhus.

SAN STEFANO, April 25.—The reports of a mussulman rebellion is merely due to acts of scattered bands of marauders. The revolt is spreading all along the eastern valleys of the river Arda and its tributaries.

VIENNA, April 25.—Russia stipulates that if war is declared after her troops are withdrawn to Adrianople they shall have six days allowed for their return. England is only disposed to grant three. A fresh outbreak of hostilities in Roumelia has at last decided Austria to consider means of defense. The occupation of Bosnia is deemed advisable on military grounds, although the adoption of the measure is by no means certain.

Afternoon Dispatch.

EUROPE.

LONDON, April 25—Negotiations regarding Congress and the withdrawal of the British fleet and Russian troops from near Constantinople have not yet led to any result, and it is considered unfortunate that Bismarck and Gortschakoff have fallen ill at this critical juncture. In the uncertainty of the issue of *pour parlers* the Russians are strengthening their position, and advices from various points say there is considerable movement of troops toward Constantinople and Gallipoli.

A Vienna correspondent says at Tchataja, thirty miles southeast of Constantinople, 2,000 sappers and 8,000 infantry are at work, turning and completing lines thrown up by the Turks, along the whole line from Hadomki to Derkos on the Black Sea. A good many of the siege guns belonging to the Turks remain and a hundred heavy guns and 30 mortars are expected from Odessa. At San Stefano, as well as on other exposed points of the coast strand, batteries have been erected to frustrate any attempts to land. According to Russian accounts seven hundred guns are already in position along the coast. In Wallachia Russian troops of occupation consist of three army corps, twenty four reserve battalions and a proportionate number of artillery and cavalry. Of these the eleventh army corps is distributed in cantonments between Buchorest, and 24th reserve battalions are in Moldavia, making in all about one hundred thousand men under general orders.

Evening Dispatch.

EUROPE.

ROME, April 25.—An encyclical just issued by Pope Leo points that it is wrong for society to combat the church and the Roman pontificate especially regarding Halter's civil principality, which is the guarantee of its liberty and independence. The Pope renews and confirms the protest of Pius against the occupation of this civil principality of the church. His Holiness is confident that, with the aid of good and zealous pastors, society will finally return to the homages it owes the church.

CANADA.

COBURG, Ont., April 25.—Windsor Hotel was burned this morning. The front wall fell in, burying a number of firemen in the ruins, four of whom were killed.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

(Per steamer North Pacific.)

SANDWICH ISLAND.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 22.—The brig Poloma, from Tahiti, reports that February 7th a hurricane raged in which about 120 people were killed and much property destroyed.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—At the Bay District track to-day Controller was backed to trot twenty miles within an hour to wagon for $500. Track in fine condition; odds in favor of the horse about 4 to 3. The horse won in 58:57, coming in fresh; the best time on record. Officers of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals were present, but saw no ground for interference.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 21.—The schooner Caroline Medan, Capt. Winant, has returned from the wreck of the steamer City of San Francisco with about $16,000 in silver bullion, recovered by divers. The expedition was fitted out by Capt. Winant at the solicitation of two divers, James Steele and Daniel McGlade. They report the wreck a confused mass and the cargo ruined. The recovery of the bullion was attended with great risk on account of the exposed position of the sunken steamer.

The question of the right of Chinese to become citizens of the United States came up in the U.S. circuit court to-day on the application of four Mongolians, through their attorneys, B. L. Brooks and F. A. Bee, for papers of citizenship. They were of two classes—one for a man who came to this state under legal age, and the others on declarations of intention. The clerk of the court refused the application, referring the applicants to the court. The facts of the case were stated in open court. Several of the attorneys present briefly expressed an opinion on the matter. After arguments by Brooks, Preston and Sol. Heydenfeldt, jr., the court took the case under advisement.

EASTERN STATES.

STORM LAKE, Iowa, April 22.—A wind storm did serious damage here yesterday. Several persons in this vicinity are reported killed.

DUBUQUE, April 22.—A storm at Pomeroy, a small station on the Illinois Central in Iowa, blew down a number of houses, killed a son of George Wallace, and a son of Mr. Pearce, and wounded 15 or 20 others. The details are meagre. Seven miles of telegraph wire are blown down.

SIOUX CITY, April 22—The storm began about 3:30 Sunday, and swept from southwest to northeast. In this section the towns damaged were Stormlake, Fonda and Pomeroy. Trees were torn up and the country presented the appearance of being ravished by a terrible cyclone. A man named Reilly was carried bodily over a house and tree tops and set down uninjured. Cattle were hurled off long distances and killed. Hailstones fell fastened together in great masses. After the wind subsided the town of Stormlake was filled with country people looking for physicians and surgeons. Alfred King's residence was lifted from the ground and dashed to a thousand pieces. His mother was instantly killed. A buggy of his was carried a quarter of a mile through the air. The damage south of Stormlake is believed to be very great. It is reported that four were killed and fifty wounded. In Griffith an unknown man had the top of his head taken off by a sharp board. At Pomeroy, Chas. Pearce was killed by falling timber. Mrs. Wallace and family, injured by the house blowing down, are not expected to live.

EUROPE.

LONDON, April 21.—A heavy gale prevailed along the northern coast of Spain. Numerous fishing vessels have been lost, and about 100 Bornco fishermen were drowned. Fifty-six fishermen belonging to Santander were also drowned.

A Constantinople dispatch reports that a heavy shock of earthquake was felt there and in that vicinity Friday.

Lord Beaconsfield has gone to visit Lord Salisbury at the latter's residence in Hertfordshire.

China.

A letter from Tien-Tsin says:

A couple of gentlemen, recently from a tour in the country, give a most distressing account of the state of some portions through which they passed. In many villages fully half the houses had been despoiled of all their wood, doors, windows, beams, etc., which had been sold for mere trifles to procure food, leaving only the mud walls standing.

Telegraphic intelligence has been received of the wreck of the American vessel Forest Belle on the south shore of Formosa while on a voyage from Cardiff to Hongkong with coal. No lives were lost.

A plot is said to have been discovered by the authorities at Foochow for the assassination of the high officials of the province.

Japan.

From the Japan "Gazette" we take the following.

Large shipments of grain continue to be made to Chinese ports. The City of Tokio, on her trip hence to Hongkong, took upwards of 27,000 piculs. Wheat and rice are being sent away from Kobe and Yokohoma.

A new gold mine is said to have been discovered in a mountain range in Harima.

The total sum subscribed from Japanese sources in aid of the famine-stricken people of the Northern provinces of China amounts to $16,000.

THE old Nile is no longer to be allowed to waste its time pouring out its waters uselessly into the sea. Its flood streams are to be utilized, in part at least, and directed into the deserts of Nubia, Libya, and Soodan. This giant engineering scheme is said not only to be projected but to be looked upon as actually feasible. It is well known the main stream of the Nile is fed by the great equatorial lakes of Africa, and its annual inundations are caused by the in-rush of torrent water, laden with soil from the fertile slopes of the Abyssinian plateau. This silt is now for the most part deposited in the bed of the Mediterranean, where it is gradually forming a new delta. Sir Samuel Baker, in a letter to the *Times*, after rehearsing these facts, proposes a plan by which not only the water of the Nile but the mud which it now deposits wastefully, may be utilized as a means of fertilizing the deserts south of Egypt. He proposes by suitable engineering works to divert a portion of the Nile flood-water into these deserts, where it can deposit its rich sediment in the sands and also irrigate them so as to transform them into "Cotton fields that would render England independent of America." He would construct sluices and dams at different points of the Nile; at the cataracts, for instance. These dams and sluices, by enabling craft to pass the cataracts, would also render the Nile navigable from the Mediterranean to Gondokoro.

English Mail.

(Per Steamship City of Panama.)

England has thirty-one ships within a comparatively short distance of the Bosphorus. The gathering of these engines of destruction in Besika Bay has been quietly accomplished by Lord Beaconsfield's Government.

The "Spectator" learns from a private letter that the telephone has been adopted by the Chinese, the telegraph being useless, as they have no alphabet. Five hundred miles have already been spoken over in China.

It is stated an arrangement is likely to be made by which room will be found for a Roman Catholic chaplain with the fleet in the Sea of Marmora, and elsewhere, in cases in which the number of Roman Catholic sailors make their provision desirable.

The "Army and Navy Gazette" is informed that Russia will forthwith commence the construction of an ironclad fleet at Nicolaieff. Preparations continue at all the Russian Baltic ports. The coast of Courland and Kovna is in a complete state of defence At Riga troops are being massed. At Jembourg a naval camp has been formed.

ANOTHER THING NOT GENERALLY KNOWN—That Chas. T. Warren has removed to the new building between Messrs. T. L. Fawcett & Co.'s and Mr. John Parker's, Government street. ..

NITROUS OXIDE GAS.—Mr. Thompson, Dentist, has obtained this favorite and safe anæsthetic for the painless extraction of teeth. * *

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Province. *

IF heretofore you have been unable to wear a set of artificial teeth call on Dr. Cool. He will guarantee all his work. **

G. W. A. LANGE, Government street, has just received the very latest styles of jewelry, silver and electro-plated ware. Call and see. *

LOT of Bonnets, including choice lot of Printed Muslins, 7 yards for $1. Chas. T. Warren's, Government street. ..

LADIES' White Kid Gloves 3 pair for $1.25; lot of colored and black Gloves, 5¾ and 6 size only, 37½ cents per pair, at Chas. T. Warren's, Government st. ..

Auction Sales.

This Day.

AUCTION SALE

The undersigned have received instructions from

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At same time, to close balance of stock-in-trade, comprising hollands, scarlet flannels, linings, towelings, hosiery, gents' shirts, embroidery and edgings, collars and ties, pocket handkerchiefs, &c.

W. R. CLARKE & CO.,
ap18 Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE

W. R. CLARKE & CO.

Have received instructions to sell at their salesrooms, Yates street, on

Saturday, 27th April,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.

A large assortment of dry goods, consisting of Ottoman shawls, black & white and red & white check winsey, striped tweed, bleached Canton flannel, brown Canton flannel, various colored winceys, all wool navy flannel, Scotch Tweed flannel, striped cotton tweed, linen holland, white and brown cotton, sultan alpaca, black russel cord, black merino, shepherd plaid wincey, fancy plaid mohair, regatta check wincey, shirting, gingham 10-4 white sheeting, linen tablecloths, 8-4 white sheeting, 8-4 linen and cotton damask cloth, brown sheeting, men's undershirts and drawers, white honeycomb quilts, men's blue jumpers, white cotton towels, Turkish towels, men's socks, men's white shaker socks, women's white cotton hose, white dress shirts, white cambric handkerchiefs, men's Howard shirts, red plaid Baltic shirts, Scotch check flannel, shirting, perfumery, etc.

ALSO, at 10 o'clock—The two Houses now standing on the City Hall lot.

W. R. CLARKE & CO.,
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New Works, Repairs, &c., at Naval Hospital.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT TENders will be received at the Dockyard, on behalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, between 8 a.m. and noon on Saturday the 27th inst., for sundry improvements, Repairs, Painting, &c., to be executed at the Naval Hospital.

Specifications can be seen at the Naval Hospital, and at the office of Mr. J. Teague, Architect, Victoria.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES H. INNES,
Naval Storekeeper, &c.

Royal Naval Yard,
Esquimalt, 20th April, 1878. ap20

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[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To the Returning Officer of the Electoral District of Yale:

Whereas, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia has, by a Proclamation bearing date the 12th day of April, 1878, been pleased to dissolve the Legislative Assembly of the said Province, and whereas it is necessary to hold elections throughout the said Province fill the vacancies caused by such dissolution; We command you that, notice of the time and place of Election being duly given, you do cause Election to be made according to law, of Three Members to serve in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, for the Electoral District of Yale, and that you do cause the nomination of Candidates at such election to be held on the 8th day of May next, and do cause the names of such Members when so elected, whether they be present or absent, to be certified to Our Supreme Court, at the City of Victoria, on or before the 29th day of June next, the Election so made, distinctly and openly under Our Seal duly endorsed upon this Our writ.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made patent under the Great Seal of Our said Province of British Columbia. WITNESS, the Honourable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS, at Our Government House at Victoria, the 12th day of April, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

By Command.

HENRY S. MASON,
Acting Registrar Supreme Court.

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.
CANADA.
PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these presents shall come—GREETING:

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS it is unnecessary to continue the Polling Place at Wells' Barn, in the Electoral District of New Westminster, but in lieu thereof it will tend to the convenience of Voters to establish additional Polling Places in the said District, as hereinafter mentioned.

NOW KNOW YE, that by virtue of the authority contained in the "Qualification and Registration of Voters' Act, 1876," the Lieutenant-Governor in Council declares that the following additional Polling Places shall be established in the Electoral District of New Westminster, in addition to those now existing in the said District, viz:—At the School House, Chilliwhack; Mrs. Evans' Farm, Chilliwhack; Mr. York's House, Upper Sumass; Mr. O'Brien's House, on the Langley and Mud Bay Road.

And it is also declared that the Polling Place at Wells' Barn, in said District, shall be discontined.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Twelfth day of April in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-eight, and in the forty-first of Our Reign.

By Command.

A. C. ELLIOTT,
Provincial Secretary. ap14

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.
CANADA.
PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c,

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, and to all whom it may concern—GREETING:

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS We have thought fit, by and with the advice and consent of Our Executive Council of Our Province of British Columbia, to dissolve the present Legislative Assembly of Our said Province, which stands prorogued to the Tenth day of May next.

NOW KNOW YE, that We do, for this end publish this Our Royal Proclamation, and do hereby dissolve the Legislative Assembly accordingly, and the Members thereof are discharged from their meeting and attendance on the Tenth day of May next.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of British Columbia to be hereunto affixed. Witness the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Twelfth day of April, in the Year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and in the forty-first year of Our Reign.

By Command,

HENRY S. MASON,
Acting Registrar Supreme Court. ap14

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.
CANADA.
PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our said Province, and to all whom it may concern—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS We have thought fit, by and with the advice and consent of Our Executive Council of Our said Province of British Columbia, to prorogue the Legislative Assembly of Our said Province till the Tenth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

NOOW KNOW YE that We do, for that end, publish this Our Royal Proclamation, and do hereby prorogue the Legislative Assembly accordingly, until the Tenth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight; hereby convoking, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on Friday, the Tenth day of May next, you meet Us in Our said Legislature or Parliament of the said Province, at Our City of Victoria, and therein do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of our said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS, Lieutenant Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Tenth day of April, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and in the forty-first year of Our Reign.

By Command,

HENRY S. MASON,
Acting Registrar Supreme Court. ap14

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

Lot No. 182 E. City of Victoria.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN PURsuance of the provisions of the "Land Registry Ordinance, 1870," that I shall issue a Duplicate Certificate of Title, in the names of **George Dakin** and **Ellen Lawrence**, to all that portion of Victoria Town (now City) Lot number 182 E., conveyed by Isador Braverman to George Dakin and Ellen Lawrence by deed dated 9th December, 1873, unless cause be shown to the contrary within one month from the date hereof.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar-General.

Victoria, 1st April, 1878. ap2

Notice to Claimants of Land.

OSOYOOS DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that a portion of Sections 4, 8, 9, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, and 32, and the whole of Sections 30 and 31, Township No. 51, Osoyoos District, have been surveyed and the map thereof deposited in the office of Charles Vernon, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, Okanagan. And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in manner provided by the and Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Victoria, 6th April, 1878. ap9

Notice to the Public

I WILL NOT BE HELD RESPONSIBLE for any debts contracted without my signature is attached to the same.

MAPLE BAY, April 10th, 1878.

ap11dw JAMES CHARLEY.

Notices.

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To the Returning Officer of the Electoral District of Kootenay.

Whereas, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia has by a Proclamation bearing date the 12th day of April, 1878, been pleased to dissolve the Legislative Assembly of the said Province, and whereas it is necessary to hold Elections throughout the said Province to fill the vacancies caused by such dissolution; We command you that, notice of the time and place of Election being duly given, you do cause Election to be made according to law, of Two Members to serve in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Colombia, for the Electoral District of Kootenay, and that you do cause the nomination of Candidates at such Election to be held on the day of next, and do cause the names of such Members when so elected, whether they be present or absent, to be certified to Our Supreme Court, at the City of Victoria, on or before the 29th day of June next, the Election so made, distinctly and openly under Our Seal duly endorsed upon this Our Writ.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF we have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent under the Great Seal of Our said Province of British Columbia. WITNESS the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS, at Our Government House, at Victoria, the 12th day of April, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

By Command.

HENRY S. MASON,
Acting Registrar Supreme Court.

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To the Returning Officer of the Electoral District of Cariboo:

Whereas, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia has, by a Proclamation bearing date the 12th day of April, 1878, been pleased to dissolve the Legislative Assembly of the said Province, and whereas it is necessary to hold elections throughout the said Province to fill the vacancies caused by such dissolution; We command you that, notice of the time and place of Election being duly given, you do cause Election to be made according to law, of Three Members to serve in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, for the Electoral District of Cariboo, and that you do cause the nomination of Candidates at such Election to be held on the 8th day of May next, and do cause the names of such Members when so elected, whether they be present or absent, to be certified to Our Supreme Court, at the City of Victoria, on or before the 29th day of June next, the Election so made, distinctly and openly under Our Seal duly endorsed upon this Our Writ.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made patent under the Great Seal of Our said Province of British Columbia. WITNESS, the Honourable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS, at Our Government House, at Victoria, the 12th day of April, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

By Command.

HENRY S. MASON,
Acting Registrar Supreme Court.

[L.S. A. N. RICHARDS.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c.

To the Returning Officer of the Electoral District of Lillooet.

Whereas His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia has, by Proclamation bearing date the 12th day of April, 1878, been pleased to dissolve the Legislative Assembly of the said Province, and whereas it is necessary to hold elections throughout the said Province to fill the vacancies caused by such dissolution; We command you that, notice of the time and place of Election being duly given, you do cause Election to be made according to law, of Two Members to serve in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, for the Electoral District of Lillooet, and that you do cause the nomination of Candidates at such Election to be held on the 8th day of May next, and do cause the names of such Members when so elected, whether they be present or absent, to be certified to Our Supreme Court, at the City of Victoria, on or before the 29th day of June next, the Election so made, distinctly and openly under Our Seal duly endorsed upon this Our Writ.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent under the Great Seal of Our said Province of British Columbia. WITNESS the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS, at Our Government House at Victoria, the 12th day of April in the Year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

By Command.

HENRY S. MASON,
Acting Registrar Supreme Court.

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.
CANADA.
PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these presents shall come—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney-General. } KNOW YE that We, being desirous and resolved, as soon as may be, to meet Our People of Our Province of British Columbia, and to have their advice in Our Legislature do hereby, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of British Columbia, summon and call together the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, to meet at Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, on Monday, the First day of July next.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Twelfth day of April, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and in the Forty-first year of Our Reign.

By Command.

HENRY S. MASON,
Acting Registrar Supreme Court. ap14

REMOVAL.

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BEGS TO THANK THE PUBLIC FOR past favors, and hopes for a continuance of the same in his

New Store on Fort Street, four doors above the Scotch House,

Where they will find the Freshest Fruit and Best Confectionery in town. mh30

Ships and Steamers.

NOTICE.

To Shipowners & Captains

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Leaving New Westminster on Wednesday and Saturday.

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BEG TO INFORM OWNERS & Masters of Ships that the

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Victoria, May 9th. my10

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Of the finest description and all of the latest styles which I am enabled to sell at

Lower Prices than ever before offered in the Province,

Gilt, Rosewood, Walnut and Rustic Frames and Mouldings,
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THE FOLLOWING RATES WILL BE PAID by the undersigned for Hides in good order:

Green Hides 7 cents per lb.
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Delivered on the Wharf at Victoria.

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Tenders.

Sealed Tenders—Whole or Separate

ADDRESSED TO THE UNDERSIGNED and endorsed "Tender for Purchase of Land," will be received up to 4 p.m. on Tuesday the 14th day of May, 1878, for the purchase of the following Land:—

Lots 1298 and 1209 on the corner of Vancouver and Collinson streets.

Also—Lot 22, Subdivision of Lot No. 115, Section 92, containing five acres, more or less, on the old Esquimalt Road, in rear of the Bush Tavern.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

On behalf of the Trustees of the Victoria Fire Department Charitable Association.

ap11 W. G. REYNOLDS, Hon. Sec.

NOTICE

TENDERS FOR MAGAZINE.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED until noon on the 4th day of May, 1878, for the erection of a Magazine at Victoria, B. C., according to plans and specifications, which may be seen on application at the office of Mr. E. Mallandaine, Architect, Government street.

The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

(Signed) C. F. HOUGHTON, Lt. Col.
Deputy Adjt. Gen. Military Dist. No. 11.

Victoria, B.C., March, 1878. mh24

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For Cheap and Quick Communication by DIRECT SPEECH.

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mh26dw1m R. B. McMICKING.

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NICOLAI VALLEY.

SEALED TENDERS FOR THE PURCHASE of the Farm situate at Nicolai Valley, late the property of Blass Leon, deceased, containing 640 acres, will be received by the undersigned up till 4 p.m. on Wednesday the 1st day of May next. Terms Cash. Further particulars may be obtained of

HENRY S. MASON,
Official Administrator, Supreme Court.

March 19th. mh20 d&w

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WM. H. RITCHESON.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 18, 1878. fe19

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